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This chapter is referred to in sections 1437f, 1874, 2291, 2296a-3, 2297h-5, 2297-h12, 2301, 2305, 5196e, 5197f, 5812, 5817, 5841, 5842, 5843, 5844, 5846, 5848, 5851, 5876, 5902, 5908, 6903, 6905, 7135a, 7259a, 7412, 7911, 7918, 7920, 7925, 7941, 9601, 9620, 10134, 10141, 10154, 10155, 10197, 10243, 13541 of this title; title 5 sections 7533, 8312; title 6 section 511; title 10 sections 2344, 2710; title 15 sections 2080, 2602; title 18 section 2516; title 21 section 360jj; title 22 sections 2022, 2024, 2403, 2778a, 2793, 2794, 3203, 3303, 6445; title 30 sections 541b, 541c, 541d; title 50 sections 47f, 438.

Division A—Atomic Energy

DIVISION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This division is referred to in title 18 section 922.

SUBCHAPTER I—GENERAL PROVISIONS

§ 2011. Congressional declaration of policy

Atomic energy is capable of application for peaceful as well as military purposes. It is therefore declared to be the policy of the United States that—

- (a) the development, use, and control of atomic energy shall be directed so as to make the maximum contribution to the general welfare, subject at all times to the paramount objective of making the maximum contribution to the common defense and security; and
- (b) the development, use, and control of atomic energy shall be directed so as to promote world peace, improve the general welfare, increase the standard of living, and strengthen free competition in private enterprise.

(Aug. 1, 1946, ch. 724, title I, § 1, as added Aug. 30, 1954, ch. 1073, § 1, 68 Stat. 921; renumbered title I, Pub. L. 102-486, title IX, § 902(a)(8), Oct. 24, 1992, 106 Stat. 2944.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

Provisions similar to those comprising this section were contained in section 1 of act Aug. 1, 1946, ch. 724, 60 Stat. 755, which was classified to section 1801 of this title, prior to the general amendment and renumbering of act Aug. 1, 1946, by act Aug. 30, 1954.

SHORT TITLE OF 2000 AMENDMENT

Pub. L. 106-245, § 1, July 10, 2000, 114 Stat. 501, provided that: “This Act [enacting section 285a-9 of this

title and enacting and amending provisions set out as notes under section 2210 of this title] may be cited as the ‘Radiation Exposure Compensation Act Amendments of 2000’.”

SHORT TITLE OF 1996 AMENDMENT

Pub. L. 104-134, title III, § 3101, Apr. 26, 1996, 110 Stat. 1321-335, provided that: “This subchapter [subch. A (§§ 3101-3117) of ch. 1 of title III of Pub. L. 104-134, enacting sections 2297h to 2297h-13 of this title, amending sections 2014, 2239, 2243, 2282, 2296b-7, 2297f, and 2297f-1 of this title and section 9101 of Title 31, Money and Finance, repealing sections 2297 to 2297e-7 of this title, and enacting provisions set out as notes under section 2297 of this title and section 9101 of Title 31] may be cited as the ‘USEC Privatization Act’.”

SHORT TITLE OF 1988 AMENDMENT

Pub. L. 100-408, § 1, Aug. 20, 1988, 102 Stat. 1066, provided that: “This Act [enacting section 2282a of this title, amending sections 2014, 2210, and 2273 of this title, and enacting provisions set out as notes under sections 2014 and 2210 of this title] may be cited as the ‘Price-Anderson Amendments Act of 1988’.”

SHORT TITLE OF 1964 AMENDMENT

Pub. L. 88-489, § 21, Aug. 26, 1964, 78 Stat. 607, provided that: “This Act [amending sections 2012, 2013, 2073 to 2078, 2135, 2153, 2201, 2221, 2233, and 2234 of this title, repealing section 2072 of this title, and enacting provisions set out as notes under sections 2012 and 2072 of this title] may be cited as the ‘Private Ownership of Special Nuclear Materials Act’.”

SHORT TITLE OF 1958 AMENDMENT

Pub. L. 85-846, § 1, Aug. 28, 1958, 72 Stat. 1084, provided: “That this Act [enacting sections 2291 to 2296 of this title] may be cited as the ‘EURATOM Cooperation Act of 1958’.”

SHORT TITLE

Section 291 of title I of act Aug. 1, 1946, as added by act Aug. 30, 1954, § 1; renumbered title I, Oct. 24, 1992, Pub. L. 102-486, title IX, § 902(a)(8), 106 Stat. 2944, provided that: “This Act [enacting this chapter and amending sections 1031(d) and 1032 of former Title 5, Executive Departments and Government Officers and Employees, and enacting provision set out as a note under section 2221 of this title] may be cited as the ‘Atomic Energy Act of 1954’.”

SEPARABILITY

Section 281 of title I of act Aug. 1, 1946, as added by act Aug. 30, 1954, § 1; renumbered title I, Oct. 24, 1992, Pub. L. 102-486, title IX, § 902(a)(8), 106 Stat. 2944, provided that: “If any provision of this Act [enacting this chapter] or the application of such provision to any person or circumstances, is held invalid, the remainder of this Act or the application of such provision to persons or circumstances other than those as to which it is held invalid, shall not be affected thereby.”

TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS

Atomic Energy Commission abolished and functions transferred by sections 5814 and 5841 of this title. See also Transfer of Functions notes set out under those sections.

§ 2012. Congressional findings

The Congress of the United States makes the following findings concerning the development, use, and control of atomic energy:

- (a) The development, utilization, and control of atomic energy for military and for all other purposes are vital to the common defense and security.
- (b) Repealed. Pub. L. 88-489, § 1, Aug. 26, 1964, 78 Stat. 602.